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Applicants note that the Stille and Dittmann reference, which is listed on the Form-1449 and is uploaded with this submission, includes an English-language summary at the top of page 186. This reference was previously submitted but was not considered by the Examiner.

Applicants respectfully request that the Examiner consider this reference.

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